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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, Carol L. Widmer has served in the Village of Mount  
3 Prospect's Finance Department from February 24, 1986 until  
4 January 31, 2008; and

5 WHEREAS, Carol Widmer was employed with the Village of  
6 Kenilworth from January 1984 until February 1986, devoting 24  
7 total years to public service; and

8 WHEREAS, Carol Widmer began her career as an accountant in  
9 the Village's Finance Department in February of 1986; and

10 WHEREAS, Carol Widmer was promoted to Accounting  
11 Supervisor in April of 1986; and

12 WHEREAS, Due to her efforts and knowledge, Carol Widmer was  
13 quickly promoted to her current position as Deputy Finance  
14 Director; and

15 WHEREAS, Carol Widmer's position as Village Deputy Finance  
16 Director requires intelligence, dedication, and the ability to  
17 work well with others; and

18 WHEREAS, The responsibilities of Deputy Director are  
19 abundant and varied; such responsibilities include the

1 oversight of all day-to-day operations of the Finance  
2 Department, the oversight of the Annual Financial Audit,  
3 assistance in the preparation of the annual budget, and serving  
4 as one of the staff liaisons to the Finance Commission; and

5 WHEREAS, Carol Widmer's B.A. in Accounting from  
6 Northeastern Illinois University in 1980 and her C.P.A., earned  
7 in the State of Illinois in December of 1981, superbly prepared  
8 her for her work as Deputy Finance Director; and

9 WHEREAS, During her time with the Village, Carol Widmer has  
10 served four Finance Directors with distinction; and

11 WHEREAS, Carol Widmer's experience and understanding of  
12 Village operations were exceptionally helpful and enabled a  
13 smooth transition; and

14 WHEREAS, Carol Widmer has been a member of the Illinois  
15 Government Finance Officers Association (IGFOA) since 1986; in  
16 addition, she is a current member of the National Government  
17 Finance Officers Association (GFOA); and

18 WHEREAS, Carol Widmer has worked tirelessly and with  
19 distinction as the Deputy Financial Director for the Village of  
20 Mount Prospect; she exemplifies the character of a devoted and  
21 respected public servant; therefore, be it

1           RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
2 NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we  
3 congratulate Mount Prospect Village Deputy Financial Director  
4 Carol L. Widmer on the occasion of her retirement and thank her  
5 for her dedication to the citizens of Mount Prospect; and be it  
6 further

7           RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be presented to  
8 Carol L. Widmer as a token of our respect and esteem, with best  
9 wishes for an enjoyable and fulfilling retirement.